

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT TACOMA

DEREK L. BLANKS,  
Petitioner,  
v.  
PAT GLEBE,  
Respondent

Case No. C10-5117BHS/JRC

ORDER GRANTING  
PETITIONER'S REQUEST  
FOR AN EXTENSION OF  
TIME TO FILE A TRAVERSE

The underlying petition for a writ of habeas corpus has been referred to United States Magistrate Judge J. Richard Creatura pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 636(b)(1)(A) and (B), and Local Magistrate Judge's Rule MJR3 and MJR4. Petitioner is seeking federal habeas relief, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2254.

Before the court is Petitioner's motion for an extension of to file a traverse (Dkt. # 17). The motion is GRANTED. A traverse must be filed on or before **August 6, 2010**. The clerk's office is directed to mail a copy of this order to petitioner, remove Dkt. # 17 from the Court's calendar, and note the **August 6, 2010**, date for consideration of the underlying petition.

Dated this 8<sup>th</sup> day of July, 2010.

J. Ward Creative

J. Richard Creature  
United States Magistrate Judge

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